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AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 15th Day of of *September*, 1758.

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council of the 29th of March laſt, for Prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Salt-Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire upon the 29th Day of October next: And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service and the Safety of this Kingdom, that the ſaid Prohibition ſhould be continued for ſome longer Time: His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, Require, Prohibit, and Command, that no Perſon or Perſons whatſoever (except the Maſter-General of the Ordnance for His Majeſty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the ſaid 29th Day of October next, preſume to tranſport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, Salt Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ſhip, or lade any Gunpowder, Salt-Petre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Veſſel, in order to tranſporting the ſame into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the ſame Coaſtwiſe, without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty, or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and ſuffering the reſpective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act paſſed in the 29th Year of His Majeſty's Reign, entituled, "An Act to Impower His "Majeſty to Prohibit the Exportation of Salt-"Petre, and to enforce the Law for Impower-"ing His Majeſty to Prohibit the Exportation "of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and "Ammunition: And alſo to Impower His "Majeſty to reſtrain the carrying Coaſtwiſe of "Salt-Petre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms "or Ammunition." And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque-Ports, the Maſter General of the Ordnance, and His Majeſty's Secretary at War, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

W. Blair.

Kenſington, October 7.

The following Addreſs of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Grand Jury, and Freeholders of the County of Huntingdon, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Hon. the Earl of Sandwich, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Grand Jury, and Freeholders of the County of Huntingdon, aſſembled at the General Quarter Seſſions of the Peace, holden at Huntingdon the 3d Day of October, 1758.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Grand Jury, and Freeholders of the County of Huntingdon, moſt humbly intreat your Majeſty to accept our ſincere Congratulations on the late glorious Succeſs of your Majeſty's Arms at Louiſbourg. We bleſs Providence for this happy Event; and we hope, that the Conqueſt of a Place of ſo much Importance to the Enemy, will be the Means of purſuing with Advantage the Juſt War in which your Majeſty is engaged, and of procuring the greateſt Glory and Reward of Victory, a Laſting and an Honourable Peace. We feel the warmeſt Gratitude for your Majeſty's unwearied Application to promote the Honour and Proſperity of theſe Kingdoms, and the higheſt Admiration of your conſtant Attention to preſerve the Rights and Liberties of your Allies. We entirely rely on that Wiſdom and Goodneſs which has ſo long preſerved to us the ineſtimable Bleſſings of our happy Conſtitution. May that pure Spirit of Piety, Juſtice, and true Patriotiſm, which ſo powerfully operates in your Majeſty's Breaſt, ever influence the Minds of your whole Council.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the Burrough of Huntingdon, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Robert Jones, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the Burrough of Huntingdon, in Common-Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the Burrough of Huntingdon, in Common-Council aſſembled, beg Leave to be permitted humbly to approach your Royal Perſon with our moſt joyful Congratulations on the various Succeſſes of your Majeſty's Arms in the four Quarters of the Globe. We have no Doubt but that our perfidious Enemies are by this Time convinced, that a brave and proſperous People, governed by a wiſe and magnanimous Prince, are not to be inſulted, without making the Aggreſſors ſeriouſly repent of their ambitious Purpoſes; and to prevent the entire Ruin of their Commerce, and the Deſtructions of their Colonies, to wiſh for ſuch a Peace as your Majeſty ſhall think proper to grant them.

We beg Leave to add, that we can feel the Weight of no Burthen laid upon us, as we are ſatisfied that what we contribute is employed to encreaſe the Glory of your Majeſty's Reign, and to eſtabliſh the Credit and Welfare of your People upon a ſolid Foundation: And we ſhall think

think we are purchaſing Honour and Plenty to our Poſterity, by doing out utmoſt to enable your Majeſty not to put a Concluſion to a ſucceſsful War, till it can be ended by an Honourable and Laſting Peace. Given under the Common Seal of the ſaid Burrough, the 3d Day of October, 1758.

Turin, Sept. 13. On Sunday the 10th Inſtant the Court went into Mourning, for ſix Weeks, on Account of the Death of the Queen of Spain.

Warſaw, Sept. 13. The Ruſſians have evacuated Stolpe and Buttow, and are retiring into Poland. They give out that their Army ſtill amounts to 35,000 Men, but own that the Loſs they ſuſtained at the late Battle will make it impoſſible for them to act offenſively for ſome Time. There is a conſiderable Body of Ruſſian Troops aſſembled in the Palatinate of Kiow. They are, it is ſaid, deſigned to reinforce General Fermor, but are at ſuch a Diſtance, that the Campaign muſt be over before they can arrive.

Copenhagen, Sept. 19. About ten Days ago the Ruſſian Squadron quitted the Station of Falſterbo, and ſailed towards the Coaſt of Pomerania; and the Swedes towards Carlſcrone.

Extract of a Letter from Dreſden, Sept. 20.

The King of Pruſſia has not only diſlodged the Croats, and Pandours of Fiſchbach, as I acquainted you in my laſt, of the 17th Inſtant, but has likewiſe made 400 Priſoners; among whom are, one Lieutenant Colonel, and two Captains: All theſe Priſoners are already brought into this City. His Majeſty has ſince been employed in cutting off the Convoys, and all Communication, with Luſatia, at leaſt by the Way of Bautzen, for the Road of Zittau, by Loebau and Neuſtad, ſtill remains open, as alſo that of Bohemia, in Part, by the Elbe. The King has his Head Quarters ſtill at Schonfeldt, and Marſhal Daun his at Stolpen. The Auſtrian Army is encamped in the Neighbourhood, in a very advantageous Poſt, which is not eaſy to be attacked, on account of the Eminencies which they have planted with Artillery. In the mean Time, it does not appear that Marſhal Daun can ſtay long there, as Convoys, in this Seaſon, would become too difficult, and the Roads, from the Elbe to Stolpen, over the Heights, are naturally inconvenient, and are beſides made impracticable by the Rains, which makes it, with Reaſon, apprehended, that there will be a Change there in a very little Time.

Nothing conſiderable has paſſed between the two Armies of Prince Henry, and the Prince of Deux Ponts; and they will probably regulate their Motions by thoſe which the King and Marſhal Daun ſhall make.

The King's Army, and that of Prince Henry, are ſupplied with Proviſions from the Magazines of this City; for which Purpoſe there paſſes, every Day, through this Place, ſome Hundreds of Waggons.

Monday laſt his Majeſty received, by a Courier from General Dohna, the News that the Ruſſian Army, under the Command of General Fermor, had begun to make its Retreat from the New Marche of Brandenbourg, towards Poland: That the 1ſt Diviſion had marched on the 15th, and the 2d and 3d were to follow the 16th and 17th. The Ruſſians would have returned by Pomerania, but the Pruſſians have prevented them. The ſame Letters alſo ſay, that they have left behind them, in the City of Landſberg upon the Wartha, about 9000 Sick and Wounded, and 1000 Men in Health to take Care of them.

The Letters from Berlin, of the 17th Inſtant, mention, that the Swediſh Troops, which had already advanced within about five German Miles of Berlin, having received Advice, that General Weedel was drawing near that City, with a Body of Troops detached from hence, had, thereupon, taken the Reſolution to go back again; but their Retreat may poſſibly not be eaſily effected, the Garriſon of Stettin having had Orders to march to meet them, and General Weedel to follow them with his Corps.

Hague, Sept. 26. Upon the Approach of General Oberg on one Side by the Way of Paderborn, and of Prince d'Yſenbourg by that of Eimbeck, the Prince of Soubize has been obliged to retire, with the utmoſt Precipitation, to Caſſel, abandoning a great deal of Baggage. Thoſe two Generals are now ſtrong enough, and reſolved to give him Battle, which he muſt either risk, or entirely evacuate the Landgraviate. In the mean while, the Saxons have been prevented from joining the Prince of Soubize; and the Armies upon the Lippe keep their former Poſition.

Head Quarters at Dulmen, September 24.

On the 19th Inſtant Lieutenant General Oberg ſent a Detachment of four Squadrons of Dragoons, the Grenadiers of his ſeven Battalions, and Lukener's Corps, towards Warberg, where the Enemy had a Camp of five Battalions, eight Squadrons, and the Huſſars of Naſſau Saarbruck, commanded by M. Dumenil, who, immediately upon their Approach, decamped, paſſed the Dymel, and marched about two Leagues beyond it; and the next Day, ſome of Lukener's Patroles having paſſed the Dymel, they retired to Caſſel, and Lieutenant General Oberg's Detachment returned to Paderborn.

The Corps of Major General Zaſtrow, which marched from Warendorp on the 16th, went to Hamelen to join Prince d'Yſenbourg; and two of the Battalions of Heſſian Militia, which Prince d'Yſenbourg had with him, are marched to Lipſtadt, to relieve two of the Battalions in Garriſon there, who are to join Lieutenant General Oberg's Corps, which will then conſiſt of ten Battalions and twelve Squadrons, including one Battalion and two Squadrons which have joined him lately; and it is then computed, that his Corps, with that of Prince d'Yſenbourg, will make together a Body of upwards of 15000 Men.

Yeſterday arrived 1000 Hanoverian Recruits for His Majeſty's Electoral Troops; and the Heſſians expect about 1200 more in a few Days.

Whereas at a Meeting held at the Swan in Manſfield, on Tueſday the 29th Day of Auguſt laſt, for putting in Execution the late Acts of Parliament for the better Ordering the Militia Forces in and for the County of Nottingham, a ſufficient Number of Perſons, qualified according to the Directions of the ſaid Acts, to ſerve as Officers in the Militia of the ſaid County, did not appear to accept Commiſſions for that Purpoſe; Notice is hereby given, that the Lord Lieutenant of the ſaid County hath ſuſpended the further Execution of the ſaid Acts until the 25th Day of March now next enſuing.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Whereas at the Meeting held at the Blackamoor's Head in Nottingham, on Thurſday the 31ſt of Auguſt laſt, for putting in Execution the late Acts of Parliament, for the better Ordering the Militia Forces in and for the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, a ſufficient Number of Perſons, qualified according to the Directions of the ſaid Acts, to ſerve as Officers in the Militia of the ſaid Town and County of

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the Town of Nottingham, did not appear to accept Commissions for that Purpose; Notice is hereby given, That the Lord Lieutenant of the said Town and County of the Town of Nottingham hath suspended the further Execution of the said Acts, until the 25th Day of March now next ensuing. HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Whitehall, September 28, 1758.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that, on Thursday Night, the 20th Instant, or early the next Morning, The Water Corn Mills, with the Buildings thereunto belonging, being Part of the Estate of Jacob Tonson, situate on the River Leadon, in the Parish of Ledbury in the County of Hereford, called the Lower-Hazle-Mills, were set on Fire and intirely destroyed; and that there is the greatest Reason to apprehend the same were maliciously and purposely set on Fire, by some wicked evil-minded Persons; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice, the Person, or Persons, who committed the said Offence, is, hereby, pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of the Accomplices in the said Fact, who shall discover the Person or Persons, who actually set the said Water-Corn-Mills on Fire, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLDERNESSE.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Jacob Tonson, does, hereby, promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds, *to the Person making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid by Mr. Antipas Church, of Ledbury, aforesaid, Agent to the said Jacob Tonson, upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.* Jacob Tonson.

Navy Office, September 26, 1758.

Whereas it hath been represented to the principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy, that on the 2d Instant, about a Quarter before Ten o'Clock at Night, a Fire broke out in a Quantity of Cordage lying in his Majesty's Yard at Deptford; and there being great Reason to suspect that the same was wilfully set on Fire by the Contrivance or Conspiracy of treacherous and evil disposed Persons, the said principal Officers and Commissioners, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Perpetrator or Perpetrators of a Crime so very infamous and detestable, do hereby promise a Reward of Five Hundred Pounds *to any of the Persons concerned therein (except the Person or Persons who actually set the Cordage on Fire) who shall make Discovery thereof, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted of the said Crime; which Reward shall be paid by Samuel Seddon, Esq; Solicitor of the Admiralty and Navy, immediately after Conviction: And as a further Encouragement any of the said Offenders (except the Person or Persons who actually set the same on Fire) who shall make the Discovery, will be likewise entitled to His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.*

Navy Office, October 2, 1758.

The principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treasurer of the Navy, Money for paying all Bills registered on the Course of the Navy in the Month of April 1758, in order that the Proprietors of, or such Persons as are legally empowered to receive the same, may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment accordingly.

Victualling Office, October 2, 1758.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, to pay Interest and Non-Interest Bills registered on the Course of the Victualling in the Month of April 1758, in order that the Proprietors of, or such Persons as are legally impowered to receive the said Bills, may bring them to this Office to be assign'd for Payment.

Victualling Office, October 6, 1758.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday next the 13th Instant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for Wheat, and close dried Amber Malt, to be delivered, free of all Charge and Risque, into His Majesty's Stores at Plymouth, for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, Juue 17, 1758.

To the Agents of all Prizes taken by His Majesty's Ships of War.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament passed in the 29th Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the better securing the Payment of Shares of Prizes, taken from the Enemy, to the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, all Persons appointed Agents for the Sale of Prizes taken by His Majesty's Ships, are required, under Penalty of 100 *l. to deliver unto the Treasurer of the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, or his Deputy, in three Months after the first Payment or Distribution to the Captors of any Prizes or Prizes, an Account, under their Hands, of the Produce of such Prize or Prizes, by them distributed, together with an Account of the several Shares as shall have been by them respectively paid to the Captors. And whereas the same has not been regularly complied with, Notice is hereby given to such Agents who have neglected the same, forthwith to deliver in the said Accounts as above directed; and it is expected that all Persons who are now, or may hereafter be appointed Agents to Prizes, do, from Time to Time, strictly conform to what is enjoined in the said Act of Parliament, or they will incur the Penalties thereby directed.*

London Assurance House, October 4, 1758.

The Court of Directors of the London Assurance Corporation hereby give Notice, that the Dividend Warrants for the Half Year ending at Michaelmas last, will be ready to be delivered and paid on Monday the 23d of this Instant, and will continue to be delivered and paid on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from Ten in the Forenoon till One, Holidays excepted.

The Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at the Office of the Corporation for Seamen in the Merchants Service over the Royal Exchange, London, on the 11th Day of October, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs.

October 7, 1758.

A sufficient Number of the Trustees for repairing the Roads from Stevenage in the County of Hertford to Bigleswade in the County of Bedford, not appearing at the last General Meeting appointed to have been held at the Sun Inn in Bigleswade on Friday the 29th Day of September last, the said Trustees are desired to meet at the same House on Friday the 27th of October Instant.

Isa. Wilkinson, *Clerk to the Trustees.*

A General Meeting of the Trustees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surrey and Sussex, will be held at the Three Tuns Tavern, St. Margaret's Hill, Southwark, on Tuesday the 17th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to choose Trustees in the Room of those who are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and upon other Affairs relating to the Trust. Roger Peck, *Clerk.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ships Torbay, Rochester, and Harwich, who were actually on Board of those Ships at the Taking of the following Prizes, viz.

Louisa Maria Magdalena, La Messagere, Comte de Maurepas, Diligent, Anna Sophia, Chariot Royal; and at the Retaking of the Mary of Liverpoole,

that they will be paid the Remainder of their respective Shares of the said Prizes and Recapture, on Board the said Ships, except those who belong'd to the Harwich, who will be paid on Board the Montague, before they proceed to Sea, viz. the Torbay's at Spithead, and the others at Plymouth. And the Officers and Company of the Torbay, who were on Board at the Taking of the Victoire and Roslan Privateer, and Retaking the Mercury, will be paid their respective Shares of those Prizes and Recapture at the same Time.

The Recalls of the said Prizes and Recapture will be at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars, the 2d Tuesday in every Month for three Years.

Dr.